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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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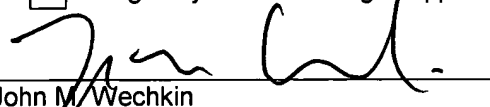
Invention: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR CONTROLLING LOWER SURFACE SHOCKS

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

RE APPLICATION OF: DAVID R. BOGUE *ET AL.*

APPLICATION No.: 10/815,147

FILED: MARCH 31, 2004

FOR: **METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR  
CONTROLLING LOWER SURFACE  
SHOCKS**

EXAMINER: TIMOTHY D.  
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CONF. No: 8216

**Amendment in Response to Restriction Requirement**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2005, please amend the application as reflected in the following listing of claims.